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Acknowledgment is made of the receipt and entry of the amendment filed on February 2, 2006 with Applicant's cancellation of Claims 39-50. Applicant's election without traverse of Group IV, Claims 39-50, in the reply filed on February 6, 2006 is acknowledged. Thus, Applicant has elected cancelled claims for examination and prosecution on the merits.

Since the submission appears to be a bona fide attempt to provide a complete reply to the prior Office action, Applicant is given a shortened statutory period of ONE MONTH or THIRTY DAYS from the mailing date of this letter, whichever is longer, to submit a complete reply. This shortened statutory period for reply supersedes the time period set in the prior Office action. This time period may be extended pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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